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Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Percent extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	12	Minus	** =20	* 0 x	\$50 (25)	= \$ 0
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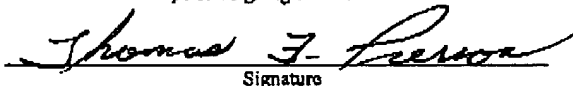
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 11, 2005, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on April 11, 2005, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-captioned application as follows.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.